1 2 3 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 AT TACOMA 8 WILLIAM FINN III and CINDY FINN, 9 Plaintiffs, 10 Case No. MS06-5015 FDB v. 11 ORDER DENYING REQUEST FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS JOHN S. PETERSON, attorney at law, 12 MICHAEL D. BOHANNON, attorney at law, separately/jointly responsible, 13 Defendants. 14 15 By Order dated July 17, 2006, this Court denied Plaintiffs' application to proceed in forma 16 pauperis and dismissed Plaintiffs' action entitled "Notice of Felony" on the basis that an individual 17 may not independently file criminal charges. Plaintiffs now move this Court for a writ of mandamus 18 to file the same pleadings previously dismissed "under the rules of misprison of felony." For the 19 reasons previously stated, the writ is denied and the action will not be reopened. 20 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED: 21 Plaintiffs' Writ of Mandamus [Dkt. #4] is DENIED. 22 DATED this 8th day of November, 2006 23 24 FRANKLIN D. BURGESS UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 25 26 ORDER - 1